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R. SWINHOE, Consul

New Advertisements.

INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY. HE Undersigned having purchased the

Business of the QUEEN'S ROAD DISPEN-BARY, 23, Wellington Street, which will for the future be carried on under the name of the INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY, hope by the strictest attention to business, and determination to deal only in Drugs, Chemicals and Druggist's Sundries of the best quality, to obtain a fair share of the public patronage.

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COMPANY. N Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the Company on WEDNESDAY, the 8th April next, at 3 P.M., to take into consideration certain proposed changes in the constitution of the Company.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., . General Managere H. F. I. Co. Hongkong, March 31, 1868.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the GE-NERAL MEETING of Members o the Honokone Cleb, adjourned from the 25th March, will be held at the Club House. on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of April, st 1-past 5 o'clock P.M. By order,

W. J. LOWNDES Secretary.

Hongkong Club, 27th March 1868

TILINDERS will be received by the Undersigned until Noon, on MONDAY the 6th April, for PAINTING H. M. Ships "MELVILLE" and "PRINCESS  ${\it OHARLOTTE}.$ 

Particulars can be obtained at this Office. A. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper. Naval Yard.

Hongkong, March 31, 1868. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG. KONG IN BANKRUPTCY. OTICE. - JOHN DENT, FRANCIS CHOM-

LEY, HENRY WILLIAM DENT, ALEX-ANDER TURING and HANS PETER HANSsen trading together in copartnership at Victoria in the Colony of Longkong and in the Empire of China as Merchants, under the Style or Firm of DENT AND COMPANY, having been adjudged Bankrupts under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in Bankruptcy on the Twenty-ninth day of June, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Sixty-seven A PUBLIC SITTING for the said Bankrupts to pass their last examination and make applisation for their respective orders of dis- GOOD INVESTMENT FOR THE OPEN charge, will be held before the Honourable John Smale, Esquire, Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, aforesaid, on the Seventeenth day of April, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Sixty eight, Press, a great quantity of Fancy and run-

at Eleven of the clock in the forencon pre- ning Types, wrought iron chests, etc.; Mr FREDERICK SOWLEY HUFFAM Acting | be had at once. Invoice price \$2,000. Deputy Registrar, is the Official Assignee and Mr William Gaskell is the Solicitor, acting in the Bankruptcy.

Hongkong, the 30th day of March, 1868.[10

New Advertisements.

BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong-kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD in various forms, to any part of the Co-

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice.

Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR,

FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or Delaces as bought by the Picul, and CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at

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Care of Messis Bowra & Co.

Hongkong Hongkong, March 4, 1868.

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Hongkong, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69 FOR SALE. THOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com-

MULLER & CLAUSSEN.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868. TEATABLE

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Two 6 inch Gun Metal Fire EN GINES, with Hoses complete. BOWRA & Co. Hongkong, January 21, 1868.

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Auctions.

BOWRA & Co. will sell by Public Auction, by order and at the Godowns of Messrs Jandine, Matheson & Co., East Point, on

WEDNESDAY,

8th April, 1868, at Noon,-(For the benefit of the concerned.) 635 bales Bengal Raw COTTON. (Unidentified.)

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ORISSA," Captain Hand with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on WEDNESDAY, 8th April, at 7 A.M. OARGO and PARCELS will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 7th April.

For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents ar Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Eyyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrectness on such declaration.

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as follows :-Great Republic, \ on or about Apr. 15. Capt. Doane. Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or about same date, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamer.

Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico. Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall

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10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Cen tral and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet

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Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkong, February 27, 1868. NORTH AMERICAN STEAM-

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VIA PANAMA AND NICARAGUA. THE N. A. S. S. Co. will despatch regularly by both of the above Routes, their elegant and commodious Steam-ships "OREGONIAN," "NEVADA," "NE-BRASKA," "AMERICA," and "MOSES TAYLOR;" connecting on the Atlantic with the splendid Steam-ships "FULTON," "ARAGO," "DAKOTA," "SANTIAGO"

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San Francisco, Dec. 4, 1867.

FOR SHANGHAI, OHEFOO AND TIENTSIN. (Customs House Jetty.) The British Steamer "COILA."

Capt. GRANGE, 435 Tons Register, will load at Canton and Hongkong for the above Ports, and having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will be quickly despatched. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Steam Tugs.

NOTICE. THE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN, 1 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Mesars E. H. How & Co., Foochow, or to the Un-

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HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P. NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines.

THIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on loard, or to the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong. JOHN'S. LAPRAIK.

Hongkong, October 13, 1866.

NOTICE, UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG.

KONG AND WHAMPOA. (LIMITED.) STEAM TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN." THIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from Sea. For Particulars, apply at the Company's Office, Pedder's Wharf, Praya, Hougkong,

J. B. ENDICOTT Secretary, Hongkong, October 12, 1865.

Shipping.

or to the Captain on Board.

FOR MANILA. 

> Hongkong, March 30, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 British Ship 1,378 Tons Register, Sedelby, Master, will have quick des-

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NOTICE. PHE Undersigned begs leave to present to the Gentry of Hongkong his profound respects, and also to notify to them that he has REMOVED to the Hongkong HOTEL, where he solicits the kind patronage of the Community.

Hair Cutting, Shampooing, Hair Cutting and Shampooing, . \$1 W. P. MOORE. Hongkong, April 2, 1868.

HONGKONG HOTEL. HE above Hotel is now open, where Families and Gentlemen can find superior accommodation.

Private Rooms for Dinner parties. Breakfast from 9 to 10 A.M. " 1 to 2 P.M. Dinner at N.B.—The Public Bar will be open on Saturday, the 7th instant,

CHAS. S. DUGGAN,

Hongkong, March 6, 1868. "STAG HOTEL." SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

TERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Superior Hotel Accommodation will find t at the above Establishment.

Hongkong, July 22, 1867.

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Proprietor.

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(LATE MANAGER OF THE ALBION HOTEL,) DEGS to inform his Friends and the Pub-D lie that he has opened the above Bar and Bowling Alleys, and trusts by strict attention to Business, and the comfort of Street, N.W., Corner of Pine St., up-stairs, visitors, to merit a share of their patronage. Iced Fancy Drinks of every Description, N.B.—The above-named will not be resconsible for any DEBTS contracted by the

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Hongkong, February 1, 1868.

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29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, HONGKONG. Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

MRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, Kwong-lee Yuen Hong, Hollywood Road, next door to the Hotel DE EUROPE. 18ap | Hongkong, May 1, 1867,

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AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.

OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine

Risks, and issue Policies on any first class

Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual

terms, payable in case of loss, in China,

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IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR

FIRE INSURANCE.

HE Undersigned have (as already inti-

A matted in their Circular dated 14th Oc-

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cretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE

COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium

under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE

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In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed

from the Town, the rate of Premium will

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The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-

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SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings

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Detached and semi-detached.

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from the Town) and their

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larly situated) and their

Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

SOCIETY OF CALCUTTA.

Subscribed Capital, £500,000.

Accumulated Funds exceed £808,000.

Hongkong, February 21, 1868.

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LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have received Autho-

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PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF

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OF SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION

OF SHANGHAL.

Premia contributed to the above Association

for the year ending 30th September, 1866.

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TION OF SHANGHAL.

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ation, are prepared to issue Policies upon

Marine Risks at current rates of premium.

Policies can be made payable in London,

In addition to the usual brokerage this

Association returns to the assured of each

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fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the

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Agents in Hongkong for the above

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HE following Reduced Rates will be

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Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

Three months, ....

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One month,

Six months.

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particulars of their contribution to that

Hongkong, September 7, 1867.

DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight

per cent has been declared on the Net

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

was previously required by the Board.

Hongkong, January 6, 1865

GOODS, at current rates.

Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

date to the Undersigned.

Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

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Established 1834.

First Class China House and

Contents.

Contents,

their Contents.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

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ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

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Insurances. SUN FIRE OFFICE. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Office, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on the usual Terms and Conditions. Risks will also be accepted at the follow-

ing Ports :-Genton, by Messra DEACON & Co. Macao, ,, E. L. Lanca, Esq. Amoy, ,, Messrs Boyo & Co. Fuhchau,, Messrs Kinnear & Co. Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be on the usual terms. obtained on application to, ADAM SCOTT & Co. Agents.

Hongkong, May 22, 1866. GUARDIAN FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTIONS IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

ETACHED and Semi-de-U tached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. ½ per cen Other Dwelling Houses, used strictly as such, and their Contents. 4 per cent Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c.

1 per cent. | tained Ac., and their Contents, . ALFRED WILKINSON & Co. Agents. Hongkong, October 19 1865.

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(FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS STERLING. HE Undersigned are prepared to gran Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

T. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-

posals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co.

Macao, Aug. 4, 1866.

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HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867.

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GILMAN, & Co., Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

SHORT PERIOD RATES. 1 of the annual rate. month.

Above 1 month, and not exceeding  $3 > \frac{1}{3}$ months, Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6

Above 6 months, and not exceeding 12 the annual rate. months. GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile

Insurance Company. Hongkong, August 8, 1866. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACOUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263. THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.

GILMAN & Go Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838. CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messrs.

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AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong,

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Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

DOBAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON. Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. MIHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are

prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

insurances.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, either at this Port, or at Macao, Canton or Whampoa, to the extent of £15,000, in any one Risk upon Buildings or Merchandize, HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 8, 1867.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure announce the appointment of Messra Holliday, Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton, Hankow, and Funchau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all needful information may be ob-

By Order of the Board. - JAS B. NORTHCOTT, Secretary.

REDUCTION OF RATES. 1 HE Undersigned are prepared to accept Short period Risks at the following Reduced Scale, viz :-Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate Above 1 mouth and not exceeding 3,....

above 3 monuns and not exceeding 6,... § bove 6 months and not exceeding 12, the annual rate GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., .

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE** COMPANY.

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

Hougkong, August 7, 1866.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM IINTIL further notice the following Anunual Rates will be charged for Fire

Insuranco, viz :---Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed

from the Town, and their Society. Full particulars given on appli-Contents, per cent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their

per cent. Jodowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000

Hongkong, March 6, 1865. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, August 24, 1864. BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY

FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS .INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are cy covering Marine Risks, at the current prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. | rates. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

(Life Department.) perCent. per Annum Bonus declared La during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two

Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England.

Fees to Medical Referees paid by the No forfeiture of Policy from unintenional mis-statement Promiums payable Half-yearly or An-

nually at the option of the Assuredi Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s, per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a permament resident in Europe :-

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WITHOUT.

N.B. Intermediate ages charged proportionably. For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR

FIRE INSURANCE. THE Undersigned have received Instruc-

tion to Repute Rates for Firs Insu-HANCE for short periods as follows: --On Policies not exceeding 1 month from 1 per cent to 1 per cent.

ROB S. WALKER & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, August 21, 1866.

NOTICE: HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to Macao, under the care of Messrs Margesson issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on appointed Surveyor for the Company at Goods stored therein - in Hougkong, that Port. \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liver pool.

Hongkong, June 17, 1894,

By order of the Court of Directors, JOHN S. MACKINTOSH, Shanghai, September 28, 1867.

Insurances.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE HE Undersigned having been appointed INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hon, kong, March 6, 1868.

T the request of the Undersigned, Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies :-

Phonix Assurance Company. Liverpool and London and Globe Insur-

ance Company London and Provincial Marine Insurance

Limited. SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.,

Hongkong, July 2, 1867.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE AR. ROBERT WATMORE will assume the duties of Secretary to the Union INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, on the 1st and their contents will therefore remain as of April, 1868. By order of the Directors.

> C. D. WILLIAMS Secretary. Hongkong, March 26, 1868.

> > Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., COURT OF DIRECTORS. Agents Royal Insurance Company. Chairman, - George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FOSTER, JR., JULIUS MENKE, Esq. THE UNIVERSAL LIFE ASSURANCE JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SASSOON, Esq.

A. Joost, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON, Managers.

VIUTOR KRESSER, Esq. Hongkong, Chief Manager. DAVID MAGLEAN, Eag. LONDON BANKERS. -London and County 21ag | Bank. HONGKONG.

> INTEREST ALLOWED N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. ,, 6 ,, 4 per cent, ,, ,, 5 per cent. ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the Company are prepared to grant Poli- chief Commercial places in Europe, India, cies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR/KRESSER.

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, No, 1, Queen's Road, Hongkong, March 2, 1868.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

Agents in China for the above INSUE-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Poli-NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Fee on the Transfer of Shares in the Corporation will henceforth be One Dollar for each Certificate issued, instead of Twenty-five Cents upon each individual Share

> as formerly... VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager.

Agents in Hongkong for the above Hongkong, March 11, 1808. named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. OTICE is hereby given that the REGIS-TERS of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 15th day of February next (both days included), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered. VICTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 21, 1868. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

NCTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. HE DIVIDEND declared for the Year ending 31st December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say \$7.50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable on and after MONDAY, the 17th inst., at the Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, Queen's Road, where Shareholders New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, are requested to apply for Warrants.

Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai.

By order of the Court of Directors,

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 14, 1868.

NOTICE. I) ENTS and Accounts collected with **LV** punctuality and despatch, Distraint WARRANTS for Rent issued

nd executed Security if Required. HENRIQUE RODRIGUES. 33, Bridges Street. Hongkong, March 18, 1868.

NOTICE. DENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with nunctuality and despatch.

Distraint WARRANTS for Rent IS-SUED and EXECUTED Security, if required: THOS. W. BARRINGTON,

58, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED. THE Undersigned having been appointed CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take | Fame (100 Horse-power nominal) is always notice that the Fourth CALL of Two in readiness to Tow Sailing Vessels from Hundred Dollars is made in two Instal- Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and Policies against Sea Risks on the usual ments of One Hundred Dollars each per will take them back or to Sea at reduced Share. First of which will fall due on the Rates. 15th of March, and the second on the 30th | For further particulars, apply at the COMPANY.

Office of Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Hongkong.

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Corporation, Queen's Road, Hongkong, where Receipts for the narrows the care of Marcao, under the care of Marcao. of April next, and will be payable at the Office of the Company, d'Aquilar Street. be granted by the Manager, Interest at the rate of twelve per centum & Co., and that Captain Carroll has been

per annum will be charged after the above By order of the Board of Directors.

J. B. ENDICOTT. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

Docks.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG-KONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED. HE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Agents and Musters to their Establishments at Hong-KONG and WHAMPOA, which offer every

facility for the DOCKING and REPAIR of Vessels of all classes. Their Docks in Whampoa, which comprise Four, have been in successful operation for the last Twelve Years, and are now in good Working Condition.

The Docks are pumped out by a Steam Pump in Five hours, and capable of taking in Vessels drawing 15½ feet at Spring Tides. The WORK SHOPS comprise the different Departments of the Shipwright, Blacksmiths, Boiler Maker, and Foundry-posses-Universal Marine Insurance Companyd sing all the necessary appliances for the Repairs of Ships, Steamers, and Steam Machinery,

The STORES in the different Departments consist of the best Materials, which can be supplied to Vessels on the most reasonable

A JETTY, with a powerful Lifting Shears, alongside of which Vessels can lie and take out Masts, Boilers, &c.

A STEAM TUG always in readiness to Tow Vessels to the Docks, free of charge, and will tow them back to anchorage or to sea at Reduced Rates. All Work carried on under the super-

intendence of experienced Europeans. For further pacticulars, apply at the Company's Office, Pedder's Wharf, Praya, Hongkong, J. B. ENDICOTT, Secretary

N. B.—The Consignees or Masters of any Vessels seeing reason to complain of the Work done in the Dock, or in any way respecting the Dock Arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company. Hongkong, March 18, 1865.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL -\$750,000. IN 1,500 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH. THE COMPANY'S DOCKS at ABER-DEEN and WHAMPOA are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repair of Vessels. The following description of the Premises is submitted for the information of the

Public. ABERDEEN DOCK. DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE. Length,

Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 181, Neap Tides, 16 ,, Built of GRANITE.

Breadth. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24 Neap Tides, 211, This Dock is now under course of construction.

WHAMPOA DOCKS. DOCK A. Built of GRANITE.

Breadtn. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 16 a 17ft. Neap Tides, 13 a 15, This can be used either as one or two Docks. DOCK B.

Built of GRANITE. Length, Breadth. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18 ,, Neap Tides, 15

The above are the largest Docks in China and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK C.

Neap Tides, 11 ... Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps. DOCK D. 164 feet. Lengtu, Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12.6,

Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 14 ,,

Neap Tides, 9.6 .. DOCK E. Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 11 ,,

D. and E. are Mud Docks available for small vessels, at very low rates. WORKSHOPS. The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, rossess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships

or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops

are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screw-

ing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c,

—capable of executing work on the largest scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally

well supplied with plant, and the work is entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans. Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty alongside where vessels can lie in 24 feet water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c.

BUILERMAKERS' DEPARTMENT, The company in addition to executing Repairs are prepared to tender for supply-18ap ing new Boilers to Steam-ships for constructing which they have great facilities.

> FOUNDRY. Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships or general purposes, areexecuted with the utmost despatch. STORES.

The Company's Stores will (when re quired) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint, Copper, Canvas, &c., &c.

STEAM TUG.

The Company's powerful Steam Tug

JOHN S. LAPRAIK,

N. B .- The Consignees or Master of any Vessel seeing reason to complain of the work done in the Docks, or in any way respecting the Dock arrangements, small address the Secretary on the subject—when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company. Hongkong, October 18, 1856,

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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, AIRIL 4, 1868,

THE report of the meeting of the Chamher of Commerce, which we this evening publish will doubtless be perused with much attention by all interested in the important question discussed. We are compelled to hold over any remarks upon the resolutions arrived at, until our next

> "SATISFACTION" FROM ASIATICS.

ONE of the most difficult problems to solve in connection with European relations towards Asiatic countries is the exaction of what is usually designated "satisfaction" for injuries perpetrated upon the persons or property of foreigners. Modern warfare amongst civilized nations recognizes but two modes of satisfying the demands of an aggrieved and stronger nower-the cession of territory or the payment of money. But it seldom happens that such demands are inude or acceded to until the fortune of war has demonstrated the capability which the weaker power may have of obtaining terms less stringent than those which practically no such thing as the spectacle of two European nations at peace with each other occupying the relative positions of an Asiatic power such as that of China or Japan and Great Britain. Outrages such as those which have of late occurred in this part of the world, supposing them to be possible, would be atoned for in a manner totally different to that insisted upon by us in dealing with Eastern nations. Either the perpetrators would meet from their own government the just punishment of owing to prevailing fogs. their offence, or that government would immediately assume the responsibility | WE have been compelled to hold over the and prepare to accept the decision resulting from a trial of strength with the aggrieved nation. In the latter case the punishment of individual treachery is never insisted on, the responsibility WE are glad to notice that some means have thereof being held as transferred to the been adopted to notify the riding public government and countrymen at large of the respecting reviews at which firing will take offending parties. As an illustration, we may refer to the affair at Hango in the Queen's Road, warning passers by Head during the Russian war in 1864. On that occasion a boat's crew of the or sentry would be more efficacious, as peo-Cossack, under the command of Lieut. | ple driving are hardly likely to notice the Geneste, landed under a flag of truce placards, one at least being queerly susand upon leaving the boat were fired pended from the branch of a tree, and reupon by a party of Russian soldiers un- volving in the wind like a roasting leg of der the command of an officer, many being killed and the remainder wounded The performance in the Great World Circus or captured, one man alone escaping. last night was again well patronised, and Now this firing upon men without arms | called forth the applause now so frequently in their hands, and landing under a flag accorded to the clever performers who make of truce, was precisely one of those acts up this troupe. True enough, there was usually denominated "outrages" when not much variation in the entertainment committed by Asiatics, and much feeling upon the subject was evinced in England Yet no one dreamt for a moment of de-

the execution of the officer and sol-

diers, or of treating the matter as apart

from the general operations being carried

We have briefly alluded to the fore-

going facts in order to demonstrate upon

how different a basis we frame our inter-

pretation of points connected with "international law" in dealing with Asiatics And we now come to the "satisfaction exacted for acts which infringe not merely the laws of civilized warfare, but that natural law which under the abovementioned title has been codified Wheaton and others. Practically exact this "satisfaction" under one of by Mr Douglas, one of whom (a suspected three heads-territory, life, or money Circumstances have hitherto prevented our availing ourselves of the first-named, We, and European nations generally, | quent security, have thus far declined to insist upon the cession of land as an amende for the murder or ill-treatment of our fellowcountrymen, and we can avail ourselves therefore of the two latter only. We will not here stop to discuss the advisaor Japan the career which has resulted in our present position in India, but deal only with the mode in which we exact satisfaction in the shape of a money payment or by the life of the offending parties. It seems to us that the indemnities hitherto demanded from China and Japan have been much misunderstood. There is a difference, very plain upon consideration, between the payment of money as a

a portion was allotted to the owners of valuable property burned by the Chinese a portion was appropriated by the gov. no occasion upon which the indemnity demanded by Great Britain has been received for any other purpose than re-imbursement of expenses actually incurred. Even the bonus in some cases given to the families of those killed was of the same nature. They had lost their natural supporters and the sums awarded them replaced the incomes they would have otherwise enjoyed-leaving nevertheless a heavy balance in the loss of near and dear friends. The indemnity is in fact but the "costs of the suit" paid by the loser

in a law action: We are thus particular in pointing out the real nature of the "money satisfaction" hitherto exacted by us from Oriental nations, to combat the mistaken idea so generally entertained that the indemnity is an essential part of the satisfaction obtained or punishment inflicted. It is doubtless a punishment to be muleted, especially when the party fined can ill afford it. But in Asiatic Countries the money baid under compulsion inflicts rather suffering on the poorer classes than inconvenience on

the rich or on the government, murdered near Hiogo. So far as it is appropriated solely to the relatives of the But (always presuming the present version of the story to be correct) they are right in asserting, that they will not rest content with a money satisfaction only, because they would run the risk of preceded hostile operations. There is being considered desirous only of money, as the equivalent for human life, and an outraged flag. They are reported to have demanded the persons of the murderers, and this brings us to the third division of our subject to which we shall refer in our future issue.

#### LOCAL.

Some apprehensions exist as to the Undine which is now overdue from the Coast ports several days. Her detention, it may be, i

Cricket Score, the Police reports in extenso and other matter, owing to the lengthy report of the General Chamber of Commerce

place. Police notices were yesterday posted that a "field day" was coming off. W cannot however but think that a policemar

there has not been a superabundance change in the circus profession since the days of Batty ;—still people are found to go, and are none the less willing because manding from the Russian Government | the members of the present company are so much above the average performers commonly met with in this part of the world Hubert Meers and Ella Zoyara were the great attractions, as formerly. Another performance is aunounced for this evening. when Hubert Meers takes his benefit.

> TO-DAY'S POLICE. Of the five Chinamen connected with the counterfeit dollar case, three were discharged, and two remanded.—The Mate of the French coolie-ship Marie Theresa was fined \$30 for assaulting an European Constable on board; defendant endeavored to get off by means of a denial.-Nineteen Chines by from Tsat-sze-mooy village were brough up for gambling. Three were recognised murderer) was doubly branded. The first orisoner was fined \$50 and six months' hard labor, and the others \$50 or 6 months' imprisonment—all of them to find subse-

LICENSED GAMBLING of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce was held on the 3d. inst., at the Rooms bility or otherwise of pursuing in Clina of the Chamber, "to consider the effect of the present system of Licensed Gambling on the trade of this Colony." Present :-Hon, P. Ryrie (Chairman), Messrs Taylor, Bosman, Hitchcock, B. Pallaniee, Rowett. Kaye, Macaulay, Zimmern, Duncanson,

Deacon, Pyke and Lapraik. meeting, said that the gentlemen present Our representatives. Diplomatic or Con- the system as one which was creating much large steamer running between this and sular, on becoming terms. The payment mischief to the trade of the Colony; this Shanghai, who for a long time had been

invitingly open. On this ground aloneviz., the danger to which the monies of conclude by seconding the motion. persons in trade were exposed-he thought it was the duty of the Chamber to express a strong opinion against the system. He no great faith in native information on the superintended much more efficiently than had already most able exponents—the Lord The French are, it is said demanding with the police altogether. A good deal Hitchcock, he cited instances of very large would be readily given) are quite competent an indemnity for the sailors recently had been said of late about the great effi- defalcations which had occurred in London to suppress gambling almost entirely." killed, it fairly comes within the pale of Chinese community would gladly give, sive as that of Hongkong, proved the evil so led away by the attractions of the gammaking good as far as possible a grievous gambling could be almost entirely prevent- effects of gambling in any remarkable maned; in any case, it could be reduced to such ner. He did not think that the Chamber

> what kind of answer would be desirable, by licensed gambling." and then suited the answer to what best pleased the questioner, especially to those all respectable Chinese condemned as perhad come was that licensed gambling was they not been sincere. bad and that its effects were bad. The naturally only one result, viz., the great pose some remedy. increase of gambling; while there was a set of men whose interest was to encourage gambling by every means in their power. These were the Gambling Farmer and his partners (whoever they were), for it was well know that it was a sort of joint-stock undertaking. While gambling had former. ly to be practised secretly, a check was laid gambling: he had to pay to Government an | munity utterly corrupt (hear, hear). annual sum of \$260,000, and his income was probably \$400,000 or \$500,000-a sum attractions of licensed gambling. There down gambling altogether. were complaints on every side from compradores, merchants and owners of ships. gambling houses and lost the money; and fering with his duties. so it was also with sailors. Altogether, the

prejudicial to the interests of the com-THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ON | munity; and he would therefore move the following resolution:-"That it is the A special general meeting of the members | opinion of this Chamber that licensed gambling is affecting the Colony injuriously. by encouraging dishonesty amongst a large that Mr Taylor qualified that remark by portion of the native population engaged in business, and amongst the native employes in power, such as the Governor. of Foreign Firms."

Mr Hitchcock next rose to second the motion which had been read by Mr Taylor. It was an unfortunate thing that there were no Customs here in Hongkong, as they had The Chairman, in rising to open the therefore no correct statistics to guide them as to the trade of the Colony. They had must have all seen from the Circular what | consequently to fall back upon verbal in- | be bad, what else can we have? H. E. had was the object for which they had met formation derived from native sources, and found that the Police became more and together; and before the resolutions (which | rely upon evidence obtained from promi- more corrupt, and he had consequently to he understood had been prepared) were put nent native dealers. He would instance license gambling. He would propose that Balve to the honor of the country offend- to the meeting, he begged leave to say a one or two cases which had come to his they should rather adjourn and give no opied, and the payment of money over and few words. He confessed that, when the knowledge. Some time ago he asked a nice at all. above the real satisfaction obtained question of licensing gambling in this native merchant what he thought of the The Chairman reminded Mr Bosman that to repair, as far as money can, the conse- Colony was first mosted, he was of opinion gambling, to which the reply was "Very he could not propose a second amendment. that it would not do any harm, while it bad"; and on being pushed to define what Mr Hitchcock said that he knew for a to reinforce the exacting party the might be the means of doing some good; degree of badness he meant, he said that fact that Mr Bosman was mistaken as to actual expanses increased in obtaining but since the system had been in operation, the system was so injurious that he could the inquiries made. There were three or actual expenses incurred in obtaining and instances of its evil influence had come not well estimate it by figures : he however that satisfaction. It is common to speak under his personal knowledge, he had seen said that trade in many cases had fallen of the indemnity lately paid by China as reason to alter his opinion, and he now off by 25 per cent. This applied more par-If it were the "satisfaction" obtained thought that it was a system which was ticularly to small traders, great numbers of for her outrageous policy previous to the working an incalculable amount of harm, whom now resorted to gambling in preferwar. But on the contrary the "satis and that the Government of this Colony ence to trade, because the dishonesty faction "arrived at, and received, was the would be studying its best interests by amongst employes was rapidly making it altogether. During the last unsafe to remain longer in business. Not punishment of the government by occu- two or three months he had made it a point long since a shroff was sent to collect a sum pying the second city of the empire, force of asking the opinion of nearly every re- of \$6000, and on being paid he lost \$690 ingarecognition of the rights of foreigners, | spectable Chinese with whom he had come odds of the amount; he was punished, but and obliging the Chinese to receive in contact, and they one and all denounced the money was lost. The compradore of a above, by erasing the words "and suggest of money was an additional and separate the province of this Chamber to endeavor servant, was found the other day to be dethe province of this Chamber to endeavor servant, was found the other day to be deti was supported by only three members, act and in no way part of the satisfaction to abolish it, granting of course that the cidedly short in his cash account, owing to viz., Messrs Bosman, Duncauson, and demanded. Its very title, in fact, shewed information of the other members had led his having lost money at the gambling Deacon. The original motion was then put. 2,757, seals m = 0.15 of an inch; and strait of repayment—to those who had suffered had arrived. He understood that one of the first-class pative merchants. Other proposer and seconder of the amendment. an inch.

loss in any form by Chinese acts. Thus | member of the Chamber was in possession | cases he could enumerate; but those two of information showing that the gambling or three instances would be sufficient to He said that since Mr Taylor's motion had had diminished very materially the number show the evil effects of the licensed system | been carried, he would not repeat what Mr of traders with small means, men who were of gambling; and no doubt other members Taylor had said, but would remark that in the habit of buying 20, 30 or up to 50 of the Chamber would be prepared in the the reason that he did not speak upon that ernment towards the expenses incurred pieces of shirtings and taking them for sale same manner to narrate their experiences. by fitting out the naval and military to the various towns and villages in the They had some indirect statistics of the all he would have said on the subject. expedition, etc. There has been in fact neighborhood. These men, seduced by the gambling itself, and of the profits made He had been talking of the matter to his allurements of the gambling hells, had thereat. If the tax to be paid annually by compradore, who said that the licensed abandoned their former occupation and the Gambling Farmer to the Government system was very injurious. Very many taken to the seductive and risky although is \$260,000 to \$280,000 and the per centage | who never gambled before, do so now; and less laborious occupation of gambling. He or fee exacted from the player by the Farmer great numbers who would not have gone would say that this view of the case had be seven per cent, that sum would necessatinto the low slums to gratify their taste, only been put before him by one or two rily represent a gambling capital of some-of his Chinese friends. The great evil thing like \$4,000,000. Mr Taylor had there to spend their own or other people's which he would urge--and the one of which placed the income of the Gambling Farmer money, as the case might be (hear hear.) they had already obtained and could obtain at \$500,000, and at 7 per cent it would re- He had never been in a gambling house more ample proofs—was the number of quire a capital of \$7,000,000 before such a liere, and he consequently could not speak robberies from employers by shroffs and profit could accrue to the Farmer. He put from personal experience; but he had seen others engaged in collecting money; and these forward as approximate figures only, it carried on at Macao, if not here, and he felt confident that many of these rob- but the larger the estimate the worse it ap- he could say that a very different set beries would not have been committed, peared for the trade of the Colony. Pro- now frequented those thouses to those were those public gambling-houses not bably some of the other gentlemen would miserable wretches who formerly appeared give their own experience; and he would in our Police Courts for gambling in secret.

> would not enter upon the bad moral effects subject. When the question was first it had ever been before, by a man of eduof the system, as the views on that head mooted, he was asked by a very influential cation, and one who was incapable of Chinaman to use his influence to get him | receiving any bribe or countenancing any Bishop of Victoria, and he believed the the gambling farm; but then it was disco- collusion; the general body of the force whole clergy in the Colony of all denomina- vered that he could not get the farming, was of a much higher character than betions, being entirely opposed to the gambling | the native then became bitterly opposed to | fore; and he therefore had no hesitation license. It had been said that it was utterly gambling. There was no doubt that gam- in proposing the motion which he would impossible to stop gambling altogether, and bling had a bad effect on the Colony, as it now read :- "That it is the opinion of this the same might be said of any other crime | had everywhere else; but bribery in the | Chamber that our present Police Force, or evil practice; but that could certainly police and the use of spies were also bad. with the aid of the influential portion of never form any argument for doing away In regard to the cases mentioned by Mr | the Chinese trading community (which ciency of their Police, and if such really and Paris by men who were not gamblers; The respectable classes were very much were the case, he considered that, with the and he did not see that the existence of a adverse to gambling, as it materially affectassistance which the better class of the few small defalcations in a trade so exten- ed their interests, when their shroffs were a small compass that it could only be carried | ought to take official notice of the gambling | pleasure in seconding the resolution. on in out-of-the-way dens which would only license; he would rather have licensed gam- Although, when the gambling license was be resorted to by the very dregs of the bling than corrupt police. At least, they first spoken of, he was in favor of it, he population. He would leave the matter in ought to obtain more statistics, and be bet had since become very much opposed to the hands of the meeting, and the members | ter prepared to discuss the subject before | it. There was no doubt that Chinese propresent would give such expressions of they should go into the matter at all. He perty had fallen very much in value, and opinion and pass such resolutions as they | would propose that a Committee should be | he was certain that gambling had a great appointed to get information, two of the | deal to do with it. In many cases, property Mr J. B. Taylor then rose to propose a members of which might be against gambling | had depreciated from 25 to 30 per cent. resolution, and said that he would only and two of a different opinion, so that evid- and he knew that such was the case because make two or three remarks in support. It ence might be thoroughly sifted. The he had a large agency in such business. was very difficult to obtain correct in speaker then proposed the following amend- This depreciation appeared to fall prinformation from the Chinese in regard to ment :- "That before expressing an opi- cipally upon houses of about \$18 or \$20 matters not connected with their particular nion as to the effect of licensed gambling, monthly rental, as many of the small shopcalling; and when one asked a Chinaman | this Chamber should appoint a Committee | keepers had gone away, having lost the for information, he would very often find to make the necessary inquiries as to the little money they had at gambling. He that the Chinaman wished first to know injury caused to the trade of the Colony had therefore no hesitation in seconding

> The Chairman here remarked that his experience of the Chinese, in suiting their who were in power. Owing to this venal answers to what would be most acceptable, put down the practice effectually for a fortpractice, no doubt, H. E. the Governor had was quite contrary to that of some of the been misinformed as to the candid opinion | members who had speken. His own comof the native population, and had been led pradore, who was well aware that he was to introduce the present tentative measure | at first favorable to the gambling license, to license Gambling in the Colony, which | had always been strenuously opposed to it; | nicious. He had, however, made inquiries | Canton had expressed to him much aston- | acted with more determination, and engravof various merchants, shopkeopers and ishment at finding him in favor of such a others, and the one conclusion to which he | measure. | Neither would have said so had | tion to suppress the vice; he showed a strong

This amendment having been seconded removal of the obstacles which formerly by Mr Duncanson, Mr Bosinan remarked existed, of fear of apprehension by the that there was no use expressing an opinion Police and punishment by the Courts, had against the measure unless they could pro-

Mr Taylor, in reply, stated that they had a resolution prepared which provided for a remedy; still he did not object to have a men declining to vote. Committee. Regarding the defalcations in Mr. Bosman said he was glad to hear that Stock Exchange, it might be remembered the case. that when the public betting houses became The Chairman reminded Mr Bosman possibly be a useful tool to the Government and they were closed. As to the bribery the Police. to some extent, but that would be only so of the Police, he would only ask whether # far as it might suit his own ends, because was not much better to have a corrupt he had every reason to encourage public police than to have the whole native com-

Mr Hitchcock reminded Mr Bosman that notice had been given two weeks ago that which represented a very large amount of this meeting would take place, and several misery (as it was extracted from the poorer | members had made inquiries during the people of the place), and which, employed | interval which resulted and were embodied in legitimate trade, would materially help in the resolution now before the meeting. to dispel the general complaints of inac- The last clause of the resolution was entivity in business. As to the direct effects | tiroly gratuitous on the part of the Chamof the system of licensed gambling upon | ber, as he did not suppose H. E. the trade, he would mention that he could not Governor wanted advice or information now get his shroff to send one man to from them. Their opinion upon the meacollect money, although that man was of sure could be given in so far as they were good character; but two collectors had now | able to gather information. He was himto be sent, the one to watch the other, else | self convinced that, if the licensed system the money would not be brought home were abolished, the respectable class of with any degree of certainty, owing to the | natives would assist the Police in putting

The Chairman gave it as his opinion that a committee was not at all desirable; and Captains of merchant vessels, who, as to as to a remedy, they could only suggest freight, &c., sometimes possessed great how a remedy might be provided otherwise powers and large sums of money, went into H. E. might think they were rather inter-Mr Bosman asked what use there would

effects of the system proved that it was be in expressing an opinion before they had made inquiries [Two or three voices; We have. And yet Mr Taylor began by saying that the information from the The Chairman reminded Mr Bosman

> saying that it was so particularly to those Mr Bosman said that he had found that a Chinaman always answered as

> The Chairman observed that such had not been his experience in this instance. Mr Bosman remarked that they ought to suggest something better. If the gambling

> four members to his certain knowledge who had made inquiries. If the Police were corrupt, then that was the greater reason for the suppression of the vice which was at once the fruitful source of so much de-

The Chairman observed that he did not believe that they could get much more information than they had got.

a practical remedy for the complete suppression of gambling in this Colony." On

No doubt, there had been formerly much Mr Bosman said that he had thought collusion with the Police, but things were over the gambling license affair, and had now much changed; the force was now

Mr Rowett next addressed the meeting.

Mr John Lapraik said that he had great

Mr Taylor here remarked that, regarding

the suppression of gambling, the Governor night without letting any one know of it. The Chinese were all waiting for the edict to be published, and when they found that no further action was taken, they concluded that the Government were not in earnest, and one of the oldest native residents of and began again. The Governor of Canton ed on a stone which was set up, his resoluwill, and dared the people to gamble, and they did not 2 During the fortnight that gambling was suppressed in Hongkong, the Governor rose enormously in the estimation of the Chinese; and they said to themselves,

'Here's a man we can respect." Mr Rowett's motion was then put and carried by 6 votes, the remaining 7 gentle-

London and Paris mentioned by Mr Bos- the gentlemen present had so good accounts man, of which no notice was taken by the of the Police, as he did not know such was

upon the vice, but now everything was so frequently the resort of young men, the that it was not long since he said at a public done to encourage it. The Farmer might Government was petitioned against them, | meeting that he did know something about

The meeting then separated

As our Mothers Do. - We were considerably amused the other evening, at three little girls playing among the sage brush in a back yard. Two of them were "making believe keep house" a few yards distant from each other-neighbours as it were One of them says to the third little girl: 'There, now, Nelly, you go to Sarah's house and stop a little while and talk, and then you come back and tell me what she says about me, and then I'll talk about her then you go and tell her all I say, and then we'll get mad and don't speak to each other. just as our mothers do, you know. O'

that'll be such fun."-Montgomery Mail. A CHAP inquired at the post office in Erie the other day for a letter for "Enery Hogden." He was told there was none. Look 'ere," he replied a little angrily "you've hexamined a hodd letter for my name. It don't commence with a haitch it begins with a hol Look in the 'ole that's got the ho's."

RHIO STRAIT.

VARIATION 1° 25' EAST IN 1866. General Description - The route from Banka strait to Singapore, outside Linga and through Rhio strait, is the one now commonly adopted by vessels proceeding either way between Sunda strait and Singapore, for the reasons stated at page 3, that Rhio strait is safe, sheltered, and easily navigable, the Dutch Government having placed beacons on many of the dangers; whereas the route outside Bintang is exposed in both monsoons, and the fairway is encumbered with many rocks and shoals. which render it necessary for vessels to keep at a long distance from the land.\*

This route is particularly convenient for vessels leaving Singapore for Europe in the N.E. monsoon, and but few vessels now adopt any other. By proceeding through Rhio strait, they avoid the delay and inconvenience so frequently experienced during that season in getting to sea by the main channel of Singapore strait, past Horsburgh lighthouse. In the S.W. monsoon also. vessels are frequently able to proceed to the southward much quicker by this route than by the outer one.

Rhio strait may be considered limited to the southward by the island of Missana on one side, and Talang on the other; it is bounded on the south-west by the northeastern islands of the Linga archipelago. on the west by the chain of islands of which Galang, Rempang and Battam are the Mr Bosman then altered the terms of his chief; numerous smaller islands and shoals amendment to the form which appears front the main shores on each side of the strait, and very much contract the width of its main navigable channel. The general direction of the strait is N.W. and S.E. extending from about lat. 0° 26' to 1° 12'

it to be simply an indemnification—a them to the same conclusion to which he house; this man was guaranteed by two and carried by 8 to 2, the latter being the Singapore, Sheet 3. No. 2,464, scale m = 0.65 of

for a distance of 11 or 12 miles inside, is about 15 miles wide; it there suddenly narrows, so that in advancing 3 or 4 miles farther to the north-westward, between the the Garras and Topies islands, it is only 35 miles wide. About mid-way of the strait is the island of Pankel, surrounded by a reef than 2 miles wide, bounded on the west by the islets and banks off the north-

suddenly widens to 8 or 9 miles between Rempang island, and Rhio island on Bintang shore, the depth here varying from Bintang shore, in which are the islands of Dompa, Rhio, Sengarang, and Oedjang, close to the mainland, and farther out the islands of Penjingat, Terkolei, and Loban at the north-western extreme of the bight, where the strait again narrows to 21 miles between that island and the islands and banks to the westward. Northward West point, the western extreme of Bintang, the strait rapidly widens to its northern entrance, where it is about 10 miles wide.

#### WEST SIDE OF THE STRAIT.

Missana Island, which with the opposite of the strait, is somewhat peculiar in shape, consisting of two narrow ranges of hills. moderately elevated, which running in 2 miles from the northern part. Niamok. south-eastward of the South point of Missana, and between them is a rocky islet, niel. A small, thickly wooded islet lies 1 mile south-eastward of the East point of Missana, forming, with the eastern side of that island and Niamok, a bay which appears to offer excellent anchorage; but it is treacherous and must be entered with caution, for a reef extends nearly a mile in a north-easterly direction from Niamok, while the shore of Missana is fronted by a reef which projects in places nearly ? of a mile, and just embraces the small islet off the east point. Vessels may, however, find safe and convenient anchorage anywhere in the bay, in from 55 to 8 tathoms. by avoiding to bring the eastern part of the small islet to the eastward of N.E. by E. & E., and the eastern side of Niamok to the eastward of S. by E. & E.; the South point of Missana bearing W. by S. clears

the reef which projects from Niamok. The short reef extends but a short distance from the north-eastern part of Missana, but from the north shore it projects | vated 114 feet above the sea, and visible 8 about half a mile, and a 2-fathous patch lies some distance outside the edge of the vessels into the narrow part of the strait by reef, which makes it dangerous to approach | night, and, leading them between Pankel that shore nearer than a mile. A mass of and the Moebet islands, so onwards until rocks above water lies 2 or 3 cables west- | Sauw light comes in sight. ward of the north-west point of the island, westward and south-westward of which other dangers extend more than half a mile.

Rodong Peak, 797 feet high, bears S.W. by W. 41 miles from the north-east point of Missana. Viewed from the southward it in places a quarter of a mile off. A patch presents a conical appearance, and, being of reef lies about a third of a mile from the creatures mad with the fury of hell. the only hill of this leature in the vicinity, north-west point of the island, and between the screams of fear, the groanings of horror, is very conspicuous. It is one of the prin- that point and the centre of the island a the vells of rage, the cries of pain, cipal objects which will enable a stranger to | bank, with but 2 to 3 fathoms water over | shouts of agony, the shrinks of despair from make out the entrance to Rhio strait, for it | iq. projects to the northward nearly a mile, | millions on millions! There you hear them can nearly at all times he seen over Missana and for half of a mile farther in the same | roaring like lions, hissing like serpents, as the strait is approached. The bill, from | direction the soundings are under 5 fathoms: | howling like dogs, and wailing like dragons. the peak, forms a shoulder to the north Parge vessels should not therefore stand westward, and then gradually slopes away inside a line drawn between little Garras the fearful blasphemies of the devils. between the British Government and the in that direction, so that as Missana is | and East Moebet island. passed the conical shape disappears.

Binan Island, lying W.N.W. 31 miles from Missana, is 24 miles long, and very miles from the west end of Great Garras harrow at both ends, widening to half a lit has on its northern side a small bay, in mile near the middle of the island, which | which is a native village. A reef fronts it there forms a rounded point looking to the at a distance of a quarter of a mile, outside north-east; the island is easily recognized of which a shoal bank rounds away to the by a conspicuous hill, 269 feet high, at the south-east end. A reef fronts the greater part of Binan, extending a quarter of a mile off the north part, and more than double that distance off the north-west ex-

Riffeman shoal, a patch of hard sand the centre of Binan: the least water upon it is two fathoms, and from this spot the hill on the island bears S.W., and the northwest extreme W.by N.

Ratang Linga lies 11 miles N.W. by W. from Binan; it is a bold, bluff looking ishalf a mile broad; a shore reef fronts the greater part of it, extending off in some places nearly 13 cables. A shoal, having but 4 of a fathom water over it, lies 4 of a mile W.S. W. from the north point of Katang Linga, but it is quite out of the way of vessels navigating Rhio Strait.

Binang and Katang Linga limit, in the direction of the Strait, a large number of islands, elsewhere described as the Tetampan group.

Selanga Islands. -Three in number, are mere islets, but well elevated and conspicuous: they lie to the westward of the Tetampan group, the northern one bearing from the north end of Katang Linga W. by S., distant 3 miles. Vessels working should not stand within a line drawn between Katang Linga and the North Selanga, which will keep them clear of the shoal W.S.W. of the first named island, and of a reef, having a rock with a tree upon it, which lies between the Tetampan group and the

by W. 1 W., 31 miles from the north Selanga, and E. by N. from the north end of the long island of Pangallap. This island, as well as the Selangas, lies quite out of the track of steamers, or of sailing vessels proceeding through Rhio Strait with a fair wind, but it may sometimes be found convenient when working through to stand so far to the westward, in which cases ships should not pass a line drawn between the north Selanga and Ocdek, in order to avoid a rock awash which

Pulo Rondo, or Dumpo, 129 feet high, of water. strait when coming from the southward. A gret from which the east extreme of Tlemats them these things. It they will not liston ful. They raise a fine-and cry.

quarter of a mile to the north-westward.

Great Bank .- Galang terminates to the southward in a long narrow point, projecting in a S.S.E. & E. direction, and half mile to the eastward are three small islands lying in a line parallel to it; between the point and outer island is a coral patch with north-eastward of them, is a deep bay fronted by a bank, named by the Dutch of Pankel is obstructed by several reefs and to 3 fathoms over it, 31 to 5 fathoms be-Sembolang point, the eastern extreme of formerly considered to be good, but large and Selatan, which render it anything but b' to 12 fathoms. The widening of the a safe and convenient place for large vessels strait is caused by the deep bight in the seeking a temporary anchorage to resort to. East Bank lies N.N.E. # E. 44 miles, from Pulo Rondo, its outer or northern part

being a third of a mile S.E. & E. of Tanjong Dempoe, the eastern point of the adjacent islands. It is a little more than half a mile in extent, with 2 to 13 fathoms of water over it, and 10 to 12 fathons near it. Tjassens shoal is an extensive bank, with

11 to 3 fathous water over it, lying between Pulo Tarong (the island close to the northward of Selatau) and the southern part of Great Garras island; the southeast extreme, -which is nearly in the line between Dempoe point and the east end of Great Garras, terminates in a reef which dries at half-tide. Former charts exhibited a clear channel on each side of Tiassens shoal. but the northern one is very narrow at the different directions form an elbow; the western end, does not afford a greater depth longer range extends from the south point | than 3 fathoms, and is only available for small vessels; the southern channel is good. direction, and the shorter range E. by S. being nowhere less than 3 of a mile wide. with depths of 6 to 13 fathoms. Navigators a small square shaped island, lies 11 miles | using it however must be careful, when avoiding the shoal, to give a safe berth to a small patch of reef which lies a third of and several dangers which block the chan- mile off the north-east part of Tarong, and after the west end of Great Garras is brought to bear N.E., that island must be neared in order to avoid the bank extending from the opposite shore, and upon which are some patches of reef; the northermost of these patches has a small islet upon it, and lies N.W. a little over a mile

> Little Garras island marks the entrance of the narrow part of Rhio Strait; it is but a quarter of a mile long east and west, formed of two small hills, and encompassed by narrow fringe of reef.

from the west end of Great Garras.

Ditloffs reef, lying about three quarters of a mile S. by E. from the eastern extreme of Little Garras, has 4½ to 10 fathoms water close to it; and between it and that island is a patch with 2 to 3 fathoms water over it. light .-- On the eastern hill of Little Garras is a lighthouse, painted white, from

which is exhibited a fixed white light, ele-This light is very useful for guiding

ward of Little Garras, is 31 miles long W. by N. and E. by S. and f of a inile broad; it hell?" has a flat summit, and terminates with abrupt | noise. The children are asked topoints. A reef encircles it, which extends Tarong Point, -the north-east extreme

of Galand island, bears N.N.W. & W. 24 small islet opposite Great Carras.

Proceed Islands .- At 5 miles N. W. & N. from Little Garras, is the largest and highes of the two Moebet islands, readily dis- eyes. They cry for ever and ever. They tinguished by its prominent position, and cry because the sulphurous smoke terments the deep julets to the westward and south- their eyes. They cry because they are in ward. It rises to a round peak, with the three cables in extent, lies about a mile off greatest declivity on the eastern side; the beautiful heaven. They cry because whilst the smaller island, or West Mosbet. Dangerous reefs and shoals extend from than to ery millions of tears in hell." these islands nearly a mile to the southward; the west end of Great Garras bearing [ J. Furniss through all his ghastly pictures. 3. by W. clears them to the eastward, and The foregoing passage is a fair specimen of land, 246 feet high, nearly a mile long and | the extreme of Tarong point in one with the | his style, and the substance of his remarks extreme of a point a mile westward of it is not so attractive as to induce us to quote southward. Shoals also extend more than the horrible to the ludicrous. An example a mile north-westward of east Moebet; of this is the statement made on the the north and east extremes of Sembolang | authority of St. Francis that the devil was point in one bearing about N.W. is a close | seen "sitting on a long beam which passed mark for the eastern side of them, and the through the middle of hell." We cannot

> clears them to the northward. The inlet between Galang and Rempang islands is blocked by a sand bank having there are also some dangerous reefs from a third to three quarters of a mile northward of Tarong point; between these dangers and the Mocbet shoals is a clear channel. thoms water in it.

sembolang point, the eastern extreme of Rempany island, is the next prominent ob. ject on the western side of the main channel after passing northward of the Moebet islands. It is fronted by a reef, close to which are 5 to 9 fathoms. From this point Oedek Island is very small; it lies N.W. | the land trends to the westward, very much | increasing the width of the strait.

from Sembolang point, and about 11 miles horrible burning floor. Look, she says, maker enters it in bill as gimp and bugles. eastward of Tiemara island, is about half a sat my burnt and bleeding feet. Let me The business is carried on quite profession-

will ensure their preserving a proper depth this red hot floor? 'Is it so?' the girl

oue of the most useful objects for recognize quarter of a mile outside the shore reef The devil answers her again, 'Your little ing the entrance to the narrow part of the fronting Lempany, lies a small detached brothers and sisters have the pricate to tell weep because it doesn't make them beauti-

N., and having soundings from 5 to 40 patch of 2 fathoms, named Haai shoal, lies a bears N. by W. & W. A short distance to the to the priests, neither would they listen quarter of a mile to the south-eastward of | westward a spit projects from the shore | even if somebody should go to them from it; and there is a rock above water a good | reef in the direction of Tiemara bank more | the dead. than half a mile; and from the solith-east part of Tiemara island a shoal bank extends in the direction of the spit, leaving but a narrow channel between them.

the chain of islands which front Boelang | permitted to the upholders of any creed to strait, between Battam and Rempang is spread it abroad without opposition; but extending in some places half a mile off 2 fathoms water over it, and 7 to 9 fathoms land, is about 15 miles long, N.E. 4 N. and | those who use such questionable methods shore, to the westward of which is the round about. Between these islands and S.W. & S., three-quarters of a mile broad, as the Rev. J. Furniss deserve censure. principal channel, here not much more the large one of Selatan, about 3 miles moderately elevated, 341 feet, and when even while they enjoy televation. Lest it be first seen appears like a hold point project- supposed that we have selected an obsolete ing from Rempang; it is surrounded at a work for comment, we may add that the east end of Galang. The passage eastward Groote or Great Bank. This bank has 24 short distance by a reef. Between it and copy before us was published in 1864. On the the Tiemara bank the depths are 31 to 7 cover its author is styled "Father" Furniss. islets, which render its navigation intricate. tween it and the small islands, and 4 to 8 fathoms. A shallow mud bank, having Were he really a father he would never To the northward of Pankel, the strait fathoms between it and Selatan. The ant patches of sand which are seen at high have penned such a work, nor would be chorage in the bay inside the bank was water upon it, nearly fills the large bay, have enjoined on others the duty of teachsouth-westward of Tiemara Island, and, ing its doctrines to children. That he reefs and shoals extend, both from Galang extending outside the shore reef fronting knows the pain and injury the reading of Aboe island, approaches the eastern ex- it must give he himself shows. At the betreme of Kantiil island in a northerly direction; off the east end of Aboe some rocks lie just inside the edge of the bank. There is a narrow channel between this bank and the Tiomara islands, but it is hardly available for anything larger than a

#### (To be continued.)

HELL DEPICTED FOR THE YOUNG. (Pall Mall Gazette.)

At present, when there is so much discussion about what all children should be taught, it is useful to know what some children are taught. We have before us the tenth of a series of "books for children and young persons," composed by the The principle laid down is plainly applica-Rev. J. Furniss, C.S.S.R., and published by authority, for it is stamped "permissu superiorum," Its title is "The Sight of well as Persia. Lord Stanley draws a rea-Hell," and its contents are quite as startling as the title. A recommendation is prefixed that one or two of the thirty-seven sections into which it is divided "might be read to the children each Sunday at Catechism." After this comes a protest from Father Faber against "the false delicacy of | domicile of origin is British or Persian. modern times in keeping back the scaring images of hell." Then follows the statestream will be pure; to which is added a Xavier to the effect that "by means of the children St. Francis Xavier reformed the great and corrupt city of Goa." We infer that, in the opinion of the Rev. J. Furniss. the best way in which to prepare children for acting as the reformers of other great and corrupt cities is to inoculate them with the doctrines taught in this work. It is doubtful if he will find many persons to agree with him. A few extracts will enable others to settle this question for themselves. The children who are instructed out of this work will learn. "It seems likely that

hell is in the middle of the earth"—that Core, Dathan, and Abiron were sent down alive into hell, and that St. Gregory vouches for Theodoric, a very wicked cruel king, who lived in a town called Rayenna, having met the same fate. It his case, however, the earth did He was seen by a holy hermit, lived on the island of Stromboli, to lown into the fiery mountain" on that and. The Rev. J. Furniss states. know how far it is to the middle of the earth. It is just four thousand miles. So if Great Garras Island,—half a mile west- is in the middle of the earth, it is four thousand miles to the horrible prison Down in this place is a terrific

> "Listen to the tremendous, the-horrible uproar of millons and millions of tormented There you hear the gnashing of teeth, and Above all, you hear the roaring of the thunders of God's anger, which shakes hell to its foundations. But there is another sound There is in hell a sound like that of many waters. It is as if all the rivers and oceans of the world were pouring theoselves with a great splash down on the floor of hell. it, then, really the sound of waters? It is. Are the rivers and oceans of the earth nouring themselves into hell? No. What is running down from countless millions of

it, then? It is the sound of oceans of tears darkness. They cry because they have lost the sharp fire burns them. Little child, it is considerably lower towards its centre. is better to cry one tear of repeutance now It is hardly needful to follow the Rov.

bearing W. b N. 1 N., clears them to the at great length. Sometimes he passes from south end of Pankel, bearing W. b N. 4 N., however, withhold the following picture of what is to be witnessed in the third dungeon, that is, in the lowest depth of hell:-"The root is red hot; the walls are red general depths of 1 to 2 fathoms over it; hot; the floor is like a thick sheet of redhot iron. See, on the middle of that redhot iron floor stands a girl. She looks about sixteen years old. Her feet are bare; she has neither shoes nor stockings on her nearly half a mile wide, with 41 to 9 fa- feet: her bare feet stand on the red-hot burning floor. The door of this room has never been opened before since she first set her foot on the red-hot floor. Now she sees that the door is opening. She rushes forward. She has gone down on her knees on the red-hot floor. Listen! she speaks. She says. 'I have been standing with my bare feet on this red-hot floor for years. Vessels of heavy draught should not for one moment, to forget your pain? No. lies W. 1 N., 11 miles from the former is- S.S.E. until Tiemara bank is passed, which ending eternity of years shall you ever leave

The concluding sentence proves that the

"mocking fiend" can twist Scripture to his own ends. It is clear, also, that the Rev. J. Furniss has no scruple in accepting the Tiemara Island, the southernmost of devil's advocacy of "the priests." It is ginning he quotes the passage already referred to with regard to the faise delicacy of modern times in keeping back from children the scaring images of hell." He then paints for them the pictures, whereof we have given fair samples; and concludes the twenty-first section with these words, "One of the most painful things in this world is to be much frightened."

#### MISCELLANEOUS.

An important and interesting question has lately been decided by Lord Stanley regarding the nationality of the grandson of a British Indian subject born in Persia. ble to the grand sons of British subjects generally, and in other foreign countries as sonable distinction between persons resident in Persia and claiming British protection who are in fact natural born subjects of Persia, but are at the same time, by construction of British law, natural born subjects of Great Britain, according as their The law of nations extends a British national character to the son born in Persia of a national born British subject; but the offspring born in Persia to the son. who has continued to reside in Persia after the death of his father, and has thus become domiciled de facto in Persia, will have a Persian domicile of origin, and a Persian national character under the law of nations. Lord Stanley further remarks that "the British Statute (13, George III, c 21,) which has enacted that every person shall be taken and deemed to be a British subject for all purposes whatever, although his father may have been born abroad, if his grandfather by the father's side was in fact a natural born British subject, belongs to that class of laws which can only give rise to personal relations between a Sovereign and subjects to be enforced within his own dominions. but which do not rightfully extend to other

WE see from an official return just submitted that the traffic which has crossed the British frontier into India vid the Bolum Pass since the opening of the Kafila season in September last has consisted of five-hundred camel loads of wool, munjeet, fruit, &c., each worth about Rs. 480, eighteen hundred and twenty-six pony loads of woollen apparel, Persian carpets and fruits, valued at about Rs. 220 each, and three hundred horses. This traffic, representing in the aggregate about seven lakhs of rupees, is important in amount and most encouraging. The facts connected with its transit are still more satisfactory. But one complaint of theft was preferred to the Political Superintendent, and in this case the full value of the merchandise stolen was made good by the Agent of the Khan of Kelat residing at Jacobabad. Nor was a single complaint preferred of the exaction of anything by the officials of the Khan beyoud the charges allowed by the Treaty Belooch State. When it is remembered that this traffic passes through the wilds of Beloochistan, "inhabited by the most accomplished thieves in the world, and numbering probably 40,000 men," it will be evident that the greatest credit is due, not only to the Khan's administration, but to our own political agency on the frontier. In forwarding the Report, the Government of Bombay observe that that they concur with Mr Havelock in regarding the results disclosed as very satisfactory; and the Commandant on the frontier has been directed to convey to the Khan of Khelat an expression of the Government with reference to the scourity which merchants and other travellers enjoy in passing through His

Highness's dominions.—Englishman. FEATHERING HIS NEST .- Lord Keeper Kenyon was passing sentence on a dishonest butler, who had been accused of stealing large quantities of wine from his master's cellac. "Prisoner at the bar," he said, "you stand convicted on the most conclusive evidence of a crime of inexpressible atrocity-a crime that delies the sacred springs of domestic confidence, and is calculated to strike alarm into the breast of every Englishman who invests largely in the choicer vintages of Southern Europe. Like the serpent of old, you have stung the hand of your protector. Fortunate in having a generous employer, you might, without dishonesty, have continued to supply resting matter. your wretched wife and children with the comforts of sufficient prosperity, and even with some of the luxuries of affluence; but, dead to every claim of natural affection, and blind to your own real interests, you burst through all the restraints of religion and morality, and have, for many years, been feathering your nest with your mas-

TAKING A NIP ON THE SLY; OR, SCENE AT A FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKER'S. - Miss T.—" What shall your dress be?" Mrs S.— " I'll take an alpacoa with trimmings; what is yours, my dear?" Miss T.-"Give me moire antique, plain." Dressmaker produ-Day and night my only standing-place has | ces samples of the above goods in a liquid been this red-hot floor. Sleep nover came form, and serves them out in glass thim-Tlemara Bank, lying N.W. & N. 31 miles on me for a moment that I might forget this | bles. Ladies empty thimbles, and dress. mile in extent, with 14 fathous water over go off this burning floor for one moment, ally. A rose, you know, would smell as it, and 7 to 9 fathous near it. To avoid only for one single short moment, Oh, sweet by any other name, and Bourbon is it, Sembolang point should not be brought | that in this endless eternity of years I just as good as if you call it gingham. The east of S.E by S., nor the eastern extreme might forget the pain only for one single following explanation of terms may enable of Little Tiemara island to the north of moment!" The devil answers her ques- you to come to an understanding with your tion: 'Do you ask,' he says, 'for a moment, | wife's dressmaker:-Moire antique, white satin, London gin; gingham, Bourbon bring Sembolang point to the eastward of not for one single moment during the never- whisky; alpaca, Santa Oroix; delaine, Ja- belonging to and frequenting Hongkong. maica rum; tarletan, Scotch whisky; popline, Irish whisky; silk, S. O. P.; barege, says with a sigh that seems to break her sherry; plain merino, XX ale; all wool lies N.W. 1 W. 71 miles from Katang Lin- In the bay between Sembolang point and heart; then, at least, let somebody go to plaid, alf-and-alf. Mixed drinks are disga, and shout 11 miles south-eastward of Tiemara island, the soundings appear to be my little brothers and sisters, who are alive, | tinguished by the style of trimmings. A the south end of Galarg island. It is a pretty regular, decreasing from 9 and 10 to and tell them not to do the bad things "gingham flounced" means Bourbon sour; remarkable little island, showing very round 6, 5 and 4 fathoms, as far as Tiemara bank, which I did, so that they will never have spotted silk is a mint julep. A "poplin and hold against the adjacent land, and is but 8. 8. W. 1 W. from this last, and a to come and stand on the red-hot floor, gored" is synonymous with hot whisky, &c. Some women paint their faces, and then

#### Miscellaneous.

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#### Opinions of the Press.

(Foochow Advertiser, May 4, 1867.) We have received a copy of 'Notes and Queries:" this publication will be really useful, it contains much matter relating to China which otherwise would be lost, and we wish it every success. Sinologues, Chinese antiquaries and scientific men ought especially to congratulate themselves on the appearance of "Notes and Queries,' as it will form their medium of communication and bring into notice what otherwise might havelain unknown and buried in themselves. Now that Law and Officialism have got their Gazette, Science and Philology their Notes and Queries, and Missionaries their Recorder, the various divisions of mental thought and work in this land ought to be well taken care of; for our part we are glad to see these several issues, both on accounof the information and instruction they afford, and the index they supply to the mental vigour of the foreign community in

Report of North China Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society. March 1867.

Two periodicals which are likely to be of great service have also been commenced one is published at Foochow and is called "The Missionary Recorder," and the other emanates from Hongkong and is called "Notes & Queries." It is intended to serve as a medium of intercommunication for persons interested in Chinese Philology, Geography or History. These indications of literary activity are perhaps the most import ant "sign of the times" has been our province to record, for they are all means to facilitate that mutual understanding one of the other, which seems so bard to establish between Europe and China.

(Foochow Missionary Recorder, April, 1867.) The two first numbers of Notes & Queries on China and Japan have been placed on our table. The magazine is every way creditable to its editor and publishers, and we cannot but wish them the utmost success in their efforts to fill an important and hitherto unoccupied place in Eastern liter-

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TO LET. 170UR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned. 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hock & Co. Possession can taken on the 1st of January, 1868.

For Terms, &c., apply to G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

TO LET. HE Premises situated in Queen's Road Stanley Street, and at present occupied by Messrs H. MARSH & Co. For particulars, apply to LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co

Hongkong, 5th September, 1867. TO BE LET. SHOP, situated in the best part of the A Queen's Road, with Show Cases and Fittings complete. N.B.—Two First Floor Rooms can be had with above, if required, Address "Z.," care of Hongkong Dis-

densary. Hongkong, November 28, 1867. LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. I'HE Undersigned will undertake to land chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, ou Moderate Terms.

Hongkong, March 4, 1866. TO LET. HE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at We have no desire of getting the work, but the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messes Elmenhorst & Sanders. For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, March 6, 1865. TO LET. HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent,

Apply at the Victoria Foundry, Hongkong, March 12, 1868, TO LET.

Spring Gardens, with or without Godowns, rent moderate;

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, 5th September, 1867

TO LET. 'E'HE PREMISES situated at Fedder's Wharf, lately occupied by Mesars AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can For further particulars, apply to THOS. HUNT & Co.

#### Houses and Lands.

TO BE LET Furnished or Unfurnished. THE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at

present occupied by Mr N. R. MASSON. Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr Masson at the Albany Hongkong, September 25, 1867. TO LET HE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly

occupied by Messrs Annhold, Kar-BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns. Possession to be had on the 1st March Apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

TO BE LET WO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63. Apply to

GAVIN THOMPSON. at Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s, Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO LET

N OFFICE with Godown and Compradore's Room. Apply to MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

O. 5, Peobili Terrace, Elgin Street. Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, February 3, 1868. STORAGE

TO LET.

AN be had in First Class Granite Godowns at Wanchai, on very moderate For particulars, apply to CHARLES RIVINGTON. At Messrs Landstein & Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, January 1, 1868. TO BE LET. HOUSE in Queen's Road, commanding A a good view of the Harbour from the North side. The House contains eight good Rooms with Bath Rooms, Verandahs, front Golowns on ground Floor.

Stanley Street.

TURNER & Co. Hongkong, February 8, 1868.

TO LET. O. 3, PECHILI TERRACE, Elgin Street. Apply to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

#### Intimations. Mr. JOHN CLARK, ARCHITECT AND CIVIL ENGINEER

Member. Institute of Civil Engineers, London: and Fellow, Royal Institute of British Architects. Offices-3, Alexandra Terrace.

Hongkong, March 23, 1868. ATEITHER Captain nor Agents will be responsible for any Debts contracted | should be applied for. by the Crew of the barque "Navarino." PETER WITBROG,

Hongkong, March 23, 1868.

CONFECTIONERY, ICE CREAMS, &c. HE Undersigned beg to inform their Friends and the Public that they have opened the Premises Nos. 88 and 90. Queen's Road Central, lately known as the "ALBION HOTEL," as a Café, and for the sale of CONFECTIONERY of all descriptions, manufactured by a thoroughly com-

petent European artiste. In connection with the above is also BAKERY, under the charge of an experienced European, from which the best English and French Bread, Brown Bread, Ship Bread, Biscuits, &c., of all descriptions, will be supplied at moderate rates.

Ice Creams, Ornamental Cakes of all descriptions, Bon Bons, Pies, Jellies, Syrups, &c., &c., of the Best quality supplied on the shortest notice. A Private Room, Large Airy Billiard Saloon, and Piano, for the recreation of

The undersigned hope by supplying none but first-class articles, and by strict attention to business, to merit a share of the

public Patronage. F. FRANCIS & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1868.

NOTICE.

W/E have heard that some Foreign Mer-

chant wanted to procure several hundred hats of Rice Paper from the Wo Cheong shop of Canton; and that afterwards A Hoy in Hongkong has got the job, pretending that he will get them made by the Wo Cheong shop; but he only got a pattern from our shop with the name stamped on it, through the hand of Hwat Puy, an assistant Compradore of Bourjau & Co., Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer- and got them made in Hongkong after the

pattern; falsifying that they are made by our shop. Now the Merchant who has engaged A Hoy to procure the hats, must know that himself is deceived, and had better examine the hats before they be packed up, for if A Hoy can make good hats, why should be falsify the name of Wo Cheong? are afraid of spoiling our name, therefore we are obliged to make it known. If any merchant wants good hats, let him come to Canton and apply to the Tung Cheong shop on the Honam side, then he will make no

WO CHEONG.

Hongkong, March 23, 1868, SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE. TIOLDERS of Certificates of Shares in the Shanghai Steam Navigation Com-WO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace, pany are requested to send them to the egenis of the Company, to be replaced by Receipts representing the amount of the old shares and the stock dividend added, pending the issue of New Share Certificates. ROWLEY MILLER,

Secretary & Auditor. Shanghai, 24th February, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Steamers "PRINCE ALBERT" and "SIR JAMSETJEE JEEJEE. BHOY" are withdrawn from the Canton River as Night Boats until further notice. Hongkong, November 15, 1867,

#### intimations.

THE Members of the late Hongkong Volunteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.

Hongkong, March 13, 1867. VIEW OF HONGKONG.

R. BAPTISTA begs to inform the Residents of Hongkong that he will be prepared to receive orders for COLOURING the Lithographic View of Hongkong issued with the Overland China Mail of 15th Novat the following rates :-

Shaded in Pencil. A Specimen of the Full Coloured Lithograph can be seen at this Office. Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS & OINTMENT.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. HIS Medicine is universally admitted L to be the most efficacious remedy known to the world. No preparation is so suitable to the climates of India and China as this fine and invigorating medicine. is particularly adapted to the constitution of European ladies, as it is never failing in its effects in all diseases peculiar to females, while those who are attenuated by the debilitating effects of the above climates will find in this wonderful remedy a kind of talisman whereby they may insure a restoration to robust health.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT. The science of Medicine has never before produced any remedy that can be compared to this wonderful Ointment, as it oures after all other means have failed, all wounds, sores, ulcers, and also the most inveterate skiu diseases peculiar to the climates of India and China. It is the true friend of the Soldier and Civilian, as certain old sores can be removed by it that cannot be conquered by any other treat-

Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT. Trustees.The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., and back, Kitchens, Servant's Rooms and Hon. JOHN DENT, G. THOMSETT, Esq.

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H. B. GIBE, Esq. W. ADAMSON, Esq. WALDEMAR NISSEN, R. BRAND, Esq. GEO, MACLEAN Esq. PALANJEE FRAMJEE, Rev. J. J. IRWIN, A. HEARD, Esq.

H. B. LEMANN, Esq. Committee of Management. The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., Chairman. THOS. SUTHERLAND, H. G. THOMSETT, Esq. | tion, G. J. HELLAND, Esq.

Monations of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be most thankfully received. Captain A. Overbury, assumes the duties of Superintendent from this date, to whom

or to the committee any information required in connection with the "Home" Hougkong, September 21, 1866.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL,

HONGKONG. TRUSTEES--The Colonial Secretary, The Honourable W. KESWICK, Esq., GEO. HEARD, Esq.,

The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Company, (ex officio), W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-Mr Young, House Surgeon.

W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer. TERMS OF ADMISSION-1st Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00 ( (2 Beds in ea. Room), ... 3rd , (Public Wards), These Charges are inclusive of all Medicines and Attendances, but exclusive of

Dietary Table. All orders for Admission to Hospital must be countersigned by some responsible Person or Persons resident in the Colony. Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having

been expended: --1st Class......\$60. 

W. PATERSON, Hongkong, January 1, 1868. TLLINGWORTH & Co., having established themselves at West Point, next

below the Hongkong and China Cas Co., are prepared to do all kinds of ENGINE AND BOILER WORK; SHIPSMITH'S WORK of any description. They have also erected a FOUNDRY on

the Premises, and are prepared to execute all kinds of IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS. And hope that by a strict attention to ousiness and moderate charges, to merit a a share of the public patronage.

Hongkong, August 22, 1867. BOWRA & Co., AUOTIONEERS, SHIP CHANDLERS, SAIL-AND GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS,

QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG, Water Boats in constant readiness to supply | linke geahndet werden können. Ships with Pure Fresh Water. Sails made and repaired on the Premises.

Mr WILLIAM GASKELL, ATTORNEY, SOLICITOR, PROCTOR AND NOTARY PUBLIC. REMOVED to No. 2, CLUB CHAMBERS D' Aquilar Street. Opposite Messrs Douglas Larraik & Co. Hongkong, August 28, 1866.

TO HOUSE-KEEPERS & SHIP MASTERS. PATERSON & HANDLEY, House and Ship Plumbers, Copper. and Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters,

16, Queen's Road West, and Acheong's Yard, Praya West, Hongkong, November 4, 1867,

#### intimations.

BROWN, JONES & Co., Undertakers. A ONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES ERECTED, in the Best Style.

Apply to C. M. BROWNE.

Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

WM. DOLAN. SAIL MAKER, &c. Duddell Street. (Opposite French Consulate.)

Hongkong, April 2, 1866. ELAIL & ELOITZ. General & Commission Agents

NAGASAKI. NOTICE. HE Undersigned beg to inform Masters of vessels bound to this port, that they have always a large Stock of CAN-VAS, EUROPEAN ROPE, TWINE, and other Shipchandlers' Stores, as well as Salt Provisions continually on hand, which they are able to dispose of, at as reasonable rates as they can be purchased at in any of the

KARUTH HENISZEN & Co. Manila, June 22, 1866.

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Shanghai, January, 1867. Hongkong Lightering and Storage Co.

THE above Company is now prepared to LAND or SHIP Cargo in first class Lighters, and to take the entire discharge of Ships by Contract. Also to STORE Goods in first class Granite Godowns at

moderate Rates. J. S. HOOK, SON & Co., Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

NOTICE.

TT is hereby notified that the portion of Robinson Road which lies between Castle Road and Bonham Road is CLOSED to the Public from this date during certain Alterations and Repairs. By order,

W. WILSON, \_Surveyor General. Surveyor General's Office,

Hongkong, December 17, 1867. WANTED by a YOUNG MAN, a situation as Clerk or Book-keeper. A nominal salary would be accepted, immediate employment being a greater object.

Highest references can be given. Address "R.," China Mail Office, Hongkong, December 27, 1867. Wines or Articles not in the recognised

WANTED

DY a Gentleman just arrived, a Situation D as BOOK-KEEPER and ACCOUNT-ANT. Good shorthand writer; thoroughly understands Shipping and Insurance. Address "H. B. B.," Office of this paper. Hongkong, January 18, 1868.

KONIGLICH PREUSSISCHES CONSULAT.

HONGKONG, DEN STEN MARZ, 1868. TIE nachstehende Bekanntmachung des D. Königlichen Geschäftsträgers zu Japan wird hierdurch zur Kunde der preus-

sischen Unterthanen und Schutzgenossen J. MENKE.

Stellvertreter des Consuls, BEKANNTMACHUNG. Da nach officiellen Nachrichten in Japan der Krieg zwischen Seiner Majestät dem Mikado und dem Taikuhn ausgebrochen ist, und die Beobachtung strenger Neutralität dadurch nothwendig wird, so macht der Unterzeichnete Geschäftsträger Seiner Majestät des Königs von Preussen in Japan die preussischen Unterthanen und Schutzgenossen darauf aufmerksam, dass eine Betheiligung an dem Kriege, selbst in der Eigenschaft als Nicht Combattant, die Zuführung von Kriegs und Transportschiffen, die Zuführung und Beförderung von Militärpersonen, Depeschen und zur Kriegscontrebande gehörigen Gegenständen in MARERS, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, preussischen Kauffahrteischiffen für irgend einen der beiden Theile nach den Grundsätzen des Volkerrechts eine Verletzung der Neutralität in sich schliessen und als feind-

Die im Militärdienste befindlichen Personen können daher nach Kriegegebrauch behandelt werden, während die Schiffe und sonstigen Transportmittel der Wegnahme und Confiscation unterliegen, welche auch auf die Uebrige, etwa vorhandene, Neutralen gehörige Ladung ausgedehnt werden

kann. Jede Verletzung der Neutralität durch preussische Unterthauen und Schiffe würde dieselben ausserdem der Gefahr aussetzen. ihrer Ausprüche auf den Schutz der Königlichen Regierung sowie auf die in dem preussisch-japanischen Vertrage garantirten Rechte und Privilegien verlustig zu gehen. Hiogo, Kobé, den 18ten Februar, 1868. Der Königliche Geschäftsträger, (gez.) VON BRANDT.

LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on the Shortest Notice.

#### Notices to Consignees.

BRITISH SHIP "FALCON," FROM ONSIGNEES by the above named Veseel are hereby informed that all Cargo impeding the Vessel's discharge will be landed and delivered at the Wharves of the respective Consignees, by Messrs Hook, Sons

the characters of the course

Goods not taken delivery of on the Wharves will be stored in the Godown of Messrs Dent & Col, all all ship's expense, but at Consignees' risk.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, April 3, 1868.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex " Tigre," 5th December, 1867. 1 Basket Feathers. Ex "Donnai," 7th January, 1868. RT 531 . . . 1 Case Paper.

U. BERTRAND, Principal Agent Hongkong, March 27, 1868.

NOTICE. CONSIGNEES of Cargo per M. I. Company's S. S. Imperatrice, are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods before the 7th instant, or they will be landed and stored at their risk

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, April 3, 1868.

#### For Said

DIETETIC BAEL, the new DIET, so highly recommended by the Faculty to those suffering from derangement of the Digestive Organs. Can be procured from GEO. GLASSE.

The Victoria Dispensary Hongkong, December 10, 1867.

FOR SALE. THE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Mesars SMITH KENNEDY & Co. For further particulars, apply to

SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, September 2, 1867.

FOR SALE. 100 Barrels PRIME PORK and 100 barrels MESS BEEF. SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1867.

FOR SALE. MAMPAGNE in quarts and pints. Duc de Montebello. Eugene Clicquot.

De St. Marceaux & Co. HESSE & Co. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

ASTOR OIL, in cases of twenty Gallous U each, or in quantities to suit Purcha- Composition NAILS, Brown Sheathing

To be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, December 10, 1867.

THE New Patent Silicated Carbon FIL- | / HAMPAGNE, Adolphe Collins and TER, small enough to be carried in L. Jauvray & Co.'s Association Vissithe Pocket. No traveller in the East should be without one. To be had at

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY. Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

FOR SALE. 20,000 CUBIC FEET MANILA TIMBER, to arrive per French Barque "MARIA MORTON."

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

FOR SALE: Ex late Arrivals. DRIME California CHEESE. T Do Gruyere Do. California BUTTER. 100 barrels Prime Hamburg Mess PORK. Prime Westphalia HAMS, at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

EX MAIL STEAMER. YON SAUSAGES in best condition. CHEESE and HAMS. Assorted French CONFECTIONARY. Malaga RAISINS in bottles and tins. ALMONDS in shells. Peeled ALMONDS in tins. Eleme FIGS in tins. PRUNES in bottle. Smoked Pomeranian GOOSEBREASTS,

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

FOR SALE. FEW cases of very superior SHERRY, just received ex "Channel Queen." / Superior Amontillado SHERRY in 3 doz. cases. Superior Oloroso SHERRY in 3

Extra Superfine SHERRY in 8885 Quarter-casks (cased) Superior Oloroso SHERRY. 808]

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 27, 1868.

I ENDRIE, Piesse & Lubis's Fine As-Bortment of PERFUMES.

DAWSON & SONS' BOOTS. For Sale, at greatly Reduced Prices, by JULES EUZIERE, Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs. Hongkong, December 4, 1867.

FOR SALE. MUNTZ' Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and W NAILS.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

ROOFING AND SHEATHING FELT. ONST INTLY on hand for Sale by the Undersigned. ROZ | RIO & Co. Hongkong, January 29, 1868.

SELLING OFF! SELLING OFF!! SELLING OFF!4!

Various Superior Hungarian WINES. WM. PUSTAU & Co. MULLER & CLAUSSEN Hongkong, August 6, 1867. CHAMPAGNE. GOODS at Invoice prices, consisting of-DOEDERER, CARTE NOIRE. Black Cloth Dress FROCK and Walking The only Champagne awarded the Medal of the First Class at the Paris Exhi

10ap bition, 1867. and SAC COATS. SANDER & Co. and OVER COATS. Hongkong, February 27, 1868.

> FOR SALE. Just Arrived.

O BROADWOOD'S Grand PIANOS, may L be had at Wholesale Price. Address "A.," Office of this paper. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

For vale.

FOR SALE.

Fine CHAMPAGNE, COGNAC.

Fine Dry MADEIRA.

SMALL Lot of Superjor Old PORT

WINE, Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto.

FOR SALE. Ex Sir Launcelot, Fiery Cross, and other

DASS'S PALEALE in quarts and pints. D London Brown STOUT, in do. Guinness' STOUT, in do. Hennessy's and Martell's BRANDY. English OLD TOM GIN. Hubbuck's PAINTS.

Do. boiled and raw LINSEED OIL. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, Feb. 22, 1868.

GREY ARAB HORSE FOR SALE. TOURTEEN Hands and upwards, quiet to ride or drive, and carries a Lady well; age under 7 years. Price very mo-

Apply by Letter to "X. Y.," Office of Hongkong, February 4, 1868.

EX "CARMARTHENSHIRE" AND " AVON." DASS' BEER in Pints and Quarts. EDMUND R. HOLMES

Stag Hotel. Hongkong, February 13, 1868.

AT THE STAG HOTEL STORES, NO. 110, QUEEN'S ROAD. Just Landed.

Ex THE TWEED. DICKLES, JAMS, SALT, VINEGAR, CURRANTS. HERBS, Raspberry VINEGAR, CATSUP, MUSTARD. Loa: SUGAR, BLACKING. Ginger BRANDY. Booth's OLD TOM. CHAMPAGNE in pint. Chedder Loaf CHEESE. Prime YORK HAMS.

EDMUND HOLMES. Hongkong, January 9, 1868.

FOR SALE. M UNTZ'S Patent Yellow METAL IVI SHEATHING, from 20 to 24 oz. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

FOR SALE.

Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

CLARET, real Château Margaux. Haut Bages. L. Espaire Duroc. BRANDY, Hennessy's and Martel's in 1 dozen cases. BEER and PORTER in bottle. BUTTER (Platts) in kegs.

A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Bongkong, December 11, 1867.

DATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases. SHERRY , 3 PORT BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED ARMONIUMS and other Musical II INSTRUMENTS. Christy Minstrel's SONGS. Pianoforte

OPERAS. VIOLIN and other STRINGS, &c., &c. INSTRUMENTS tuned and repaired. C. WAGNER.

28, Hollywood Road Hongkong, August 2, 1867. 2au-68

FOR SALE. 150 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY.

MULLER & CLAUSSEN Hongkong, January 13, 1868. FOR SALE.

WELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Munts JUHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1866.

FOR SALE. TELLOW METAL and NAILS, 18 to Superior CLARET, Sr. Pierre, 1852. Two Years must be sent in immediately for 15 kegs Green Peas, 20 mille Nos. 7 Superior CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & SPIRITS OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 doz. RAYNAL & Co. Bottles. Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

FOR SALE. Very Superior DRY SHERRY in 2 doz. R. W. W. ) Superior DRY SHERRY in 2 day, cases. S. P. S. Just received ex "THE TWEED."

Apply to MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, February 1, 1868. STEAM COALS.

For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board. NGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley. Davisson's West Hartley, Straker', West Hartley. WELSH-Blaengware Marthyr. Apply to ROE S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, March 16, 1866.

For Sale.

GREAT SACRIFICES!!!

SPLENDID BARGAINS!!! DEG to announce that they are Selling D Off their stocks of the undermentioned

Melton and Angola Walking, Shooting Melton and Witney YACHT JACKETS

Alpaca and Merino COATS. Black Dress TROUSERS. Fancy Buckskin, Angola and Tweed

Alpaca and Merino TROUSERS. White and Colored Linen TROUSERS. Black Dress VESTS. Buckskin and Angola VESTS. Merino and Alpaca VESTS. White Marcella and Linen VESTS. Colored Linen VESTS.

A large lot of PIECE GOODS, compris-

Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS and DUESKINS. MELTONS, BUCKSKINS, ANGOLAS TWEEDS and FLANNELS, of this Season's Patterns.

Also a new assortment of HOSIERY and SHIRTS of-LONG CLOTH, with Linen FRONTS, &c. Silk and Wool SHIRTS.

Merino, Cotton, Lambswool and Flannel DRAWERS and UNDER VESTS. Merino, Cotton and Lambswool HALF HOSE. LADIES' COTTON HOSE. Dent's Kid and Driving GLOVES.

COLLARS, SCARFS, TIES, Cholera BELTS and Cambrid HANDKERCHIEFS. Christy's Silk, Shell and Felt HATS, in the newest Shapes. Dawson's BOOTS and SHOES.

UMBRELLAS, Walking STICKS, Cloth and Hair BRUSHES. PERFUMERY, Fancy SOAPS, And a great variety of other GOODS.

MULLER AND CLAUSSEN, Queen's Road. Hongkong, February 5, 1868.

FOR SALE. TULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. MUMM & Co.'s HOCK & MOSELLE

ots, and pts. Chillingworth's SHERRY and PORT. CHAMBERTIN, WHISKEY. WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALLSOPP'S ALE, draught and bottle BARCLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT. BRIDGES & SONS' PORTER. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, November 20, 1867.

Notices of Firms.

AR. JAMES BILLINGTON COUGHTRIE is authorized to sign our Firm per procuration from this date. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1868.

NOTICE. LIROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port. Marine Surveyor.

Foochow, August 1, 1867. NOTICE. WITH reference to the above, the

business hitherto carried on H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS, Chop Min. Pagoda Anchorage

Foochow, August 1, 1867.

THAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under the Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.

Saigon, December 20, 1867. NOTICE. MR. SIDNEY DESCON is authorized to IVI sign our Firm per procuration from

DEACON & Co. CANTON, February 1, 1868.

HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr ELDRED HALTON in pur Firm ceased All lots with all faults and errors of de-HER DUNGANSON Was admitted a Partner of the hammer. on the 1st July.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1866. NOTICE. REPLE HOLME has been admitted 11 a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co.

Nagasaki, January 1, 1867. NOTICE. AS my Engagement ceases in May next, A all outstanding Accounts for the past

MARY HASTELOW RANDLE. Superintendent.
Diocesan School, Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. W. C. VAN OORDT in our firm ceased on the 1st January, 1866. BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, November 19, 1867 ....

neral Commission Merchant under the Candles, 10 barrels Hamburg Pork. style or firm of VAN OORDT & Co. (8d) W. C. VAN OORDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

NOTICE. R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been Madmitted a Partner in our Firm. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868,

Actics of Firms. NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased on the 31st day of December, 1867. A. FERGUSON & Co. Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

NOTICE.

TROM and after this date Mr George F.

BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. I FERGUSON in our Firm ceased on the 1st day of November, 1866. A. FERGUSON & Co.

HE Business will be henceforth carried on under the same Name by the Undersigned. A. D. MITCHELL, J. D. MEYERS, and

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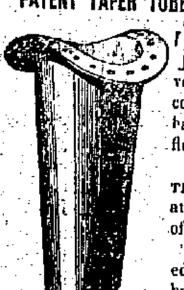
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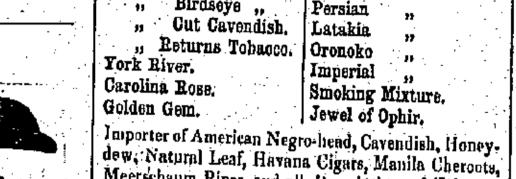
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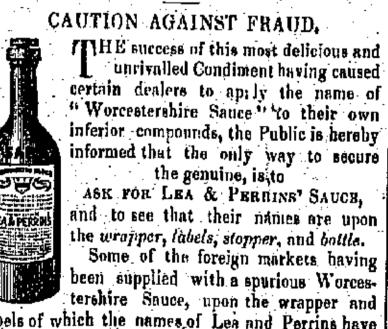
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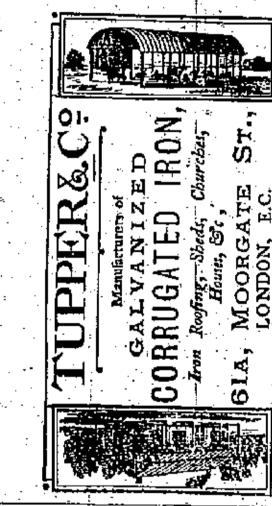
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